RESOLUTION NO. 11-75

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, THE FLORIDA APPROVING DESIGNATION OF A PORTION OF EAST 7 AVENUE, BETWEEN EAST 56 STREET AND EAST 60 STREET, HIALEAH, FLORIDA, AS "DR. ADA HERNANDEZ WAY", IN HONOR AND RECOGNITION OF HER OUTSTANDING TO CONTRIBUTIONS SERVICE AND EDUCATION AND THE CITY OF HIALEAH AND ITS RESIDENTS, WITH THE COST OF SIGNAGE TO BE PAID BY THE CITY.

- WHEREAS, the co-designation of that portion of East 7 Avenue, between East 56 Street and East 60 Street, as "DR. ADA HERNANDEZ WAY", presently unnamed, is in honor and recognition of the outstanding service and contributions to education of Dr. Ada Hernandez; and
- WHEREAS, Dr. Hernandez was born in Cuba and immigrated to the United States in 1961; and
- WHEREAS, Dr. Hernandez attained a Bachelor's degree and Master's degree in Early Childhood Education from Florida International University (F.I.U.), as well as a Specialist and Doctor of Education degree from Nova University with a Major in Early and Middle Childhood Education; and
- WHEREAS, Dr. Hernandez was certified as a teacher by the State of Florida in 1976, and began her career as an educator with Miami-Dade County Public Schools (MDCPS); and
- WHEREAS, Dr. Hernandez has taught at both M.A. Milam and Ben Sheppard Elementary, teaching various grade levels; and
- WHEREAS, Dr. Hernandez then became Assistant Principal at Hialeah Elementary, and later Twin Lakes Elementary; and
- WHEREAS, in 1996, she became the Principal at Amelia Earhart Elementary; and
- WHEREAS, under her administration, Amelia Earhart went from a "D" school to an "A" school in 2001, and has remained an "A" school ever since; and

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WHEREAS, Dr. Hernandez's enthusiastic support and constant motivation of both her teachers and her students has played a critical role in her school's maintenance of its "A" status, as well as the attainment of several awards by its students; and

WHEREAS, the Historic Preservation Board recommended approval of this resolution on July 25, 2011.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, THAT:

Section 1: The portion of East 7 Avenue, between East 56 Street and East 60 Street, Hialeah, Florida, presently unnamed, is hereby co-designated as "DR. ADA HERNANDEZ WAY", and shall be known as such from this day forward, with the costs of signage to be paid by the City.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 9th day of August , 2011.

Isis Garcia-Martinez
Council Prevident

Attest:

Approved on this $2 \int day \ day$

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David Conception

Acting City Clerk

Mayor Carlos Hernandez

Approved as to legal sufficiency and form:

William M. Grodnick

City Attorney